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10 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
11 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
12 OAKLAND DIVISION
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14 **JOHN ARMSTRONG, et al.,**

15 Plaintiffs,

16 v.

17 **GAVIN NEWSOM, et. al.,**

18 Defendants.
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Case No. C 94-2307 CW

**~~PROPOSED~~ ORDER DIRECTING
ADDITIONAL INTERIM PAYMENT OF
COSTS**

21 On June 11, 2007, the Court directed Defendants to deposit the sum of \$100,000 with the
22 Clerk of the Court as an interim payment of costs, to provide funds for compensation of the Court
23 appointed expert in this case. (ECF No. 1121.) The Court also specified that when the sum is
24 substantially drawn down by payments to the Court appointed expert, that the Court may order
25 Defendants to deposit additional sums with the Clerk of the Court. Since then, additional sums
26 have been periodically deposited into the account when it becomes low in funds. The account
27 was last replenished June 2025 (ECF No. 3698), and because of subsequent monthly payments to
28 the expert, Ed Swanson, it is now substantially depleted.

1 Accordingly, Defendants are ordered to deposit forthwith an additional \$500,000 with the
2 Clerk of the Court, to be added to the funds in the existing account.

3 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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6 DATED: 9/30/2025



CLAUDIA WILKEN
United States District Judge

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